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Wetaskiwin, Alta.

Vote for the Library By-Law

Good Reasons Why Wetaskiwin Should Have a Public Library.

The Public Library By-law comes before the taxpayers of Wetaskiwin to be voted on next Monday, December 9th. The necessity and value of such an institution in our city has been dealt with by so many well directed articles in our press of late, that it seems unnecessary to deal further with this at this time. It will be well, however, to discuss a few (as there are only a few objections) that have been suggested.

1. That there are other institutions of more value than our city is in need. Arguers who express such a thought certainly believe the great general value of a Public Library, and that a Library is second only to our Public School, Churches, and ranks with these to the adult, especially to the adult who has not had the benefit of such high grade schools as our city is blessed.

2. That the East Side could not benefit by the library as there are very few readers among them. This, the writer takes exception to. He has spoken to many of the east side rate payers and they are one and all enthusiastic, and do you know, Mr. Reader, that the writer has come in contact with several that have read such books as "Korean," "Eibon's Home," "Dagwin," "The Descent of Man," "McClough's History of England," and the like? Of course, there are cases of the older generation, on both sides of the track who will be unable to benefit by a Public Library, but it should be remembered that the children of these would gain greatly by being able to avail themselves of such an institution in our city.

3. Finding suitable quarters seems to be a question which several have wondered over. In the minds of the Library Supporters this, on the whole, is an easy question to settle that has caused them but little concern.

However, a place has already been arranged for, namely, a room in our postoffice block. Communication is at hand from the Honorable Robert Rogers, Minister of Public Works, which will practically assure us quarters in the post-office building.

4. A Librarian—No definite steps have been taken, but there is at least one if not two men, that would be glad to spend a few evenings in the week at a very small remuneration. They are both well up in the book world.

5. The lack of funds for the upkeep even with our Government grant. If there should be a deficiency, why could not a little extra money be raised by entertainments, socials, and the like, for a library as well as hospitals, churches and similar bodies. It is also to be remembered that additional books and support can be had from the Lady Aberdeen Library Association, and the Times Club of London. Several Public spirited citizens have already expressed themselves willing to donate money to such a good and much needed cause as the Public Library. This last and certainly of great importance will be mentioned. That some have expressed themselves very ridiculous by saying that the library propaganda is a political frame-up. The writer wishes to state and immediately deny. Entertainers of such ideas are, I am sure, far beneath the notice of any good citizens of Wetaskiwin. As to objections any so far against it, and the advantages are so great to be derived from it, let every one come out on December 9th and give the library by-law a hearty support by his vote.

Bacon has said, "Conversation makes a ready man; writing, an exact man; but reading a full man."—A Citizen.

Town Topics

Vote for Gothard.

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W. S. Douglas who was recently called East on account of the death of his father, returned to the city Wednesday evening, and resumes his run on the mail car this Thursday evening.

Sec. Treas. Roberts, requests that all accounts against the city be left with him on or before December 27th, so that they may be passed by the different committees and paid before the new year.

Claude Benrato, of the Postal Department, who runs on the mail car from Calgary to Medicine Hat, is in the city for a few days, renewing acquaintances, as well as recovering from a slight injury he received in the train wreck a few days ago.

The Prince of Wales Hotel changed hands on Monday, when Julius Schroeder disposed of the business to R. R. McDonald, formerly of Scotland, and recently of Regina, Mr. Schroeder will likely leave shortly for California, where he will spend the winter.

K. A. Guleksoo & Company, who represent the Pacific Properties, Limited, for this district, received a letter this week stating that Sir Donald Mann had given written assurance to a syndicate who bought property at Port Mann for \$200,000, that shops, round houses, freight and shipping terminals would all be at Port Mann. If you are interested, call on Guleksoo & Company at once and get further information.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF WETASKIWIN.

Ladies and Gentlemen—

As a large number of my friends have insisted on my becoming a candidate for re-election on Monday next, I have complied with their wishes, and therefore respectfully ask you for your vote and influence. I promise that, if re-elected, I will do my utmost to further the interests of this city. I will endeavor to represent Wetaskiwin as a whole, and not any particular district, as I consider it is all one municipality.

Yours respectfully,

F. W. GROSS.

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VOTE FOR J. P. JOHNSON

The Progressive Candidate

I respectfully solicit your vote and influence as Alderman for 1913.

I promise that if elected I will do my best for the needs and progress of Wetaskiwin at all times.

Sad Scalding Accident

Pete Taylor Succumbs After Few Hours of Terrible Suffering.

The citizens were shocked on Wednesday of this week to learn that "Pete," the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Taylor, of the Dominion Express Co., had been very seriously scalded the evening before. The servant, a girl, had, while boiling water on the kitchen floor, and as she left the room for a moment the little fellow backed into the boiler, and in doing so, the boiler exploded, pouring the water over his back and arms. He was severely burned and there was

little hope of his permanent recovery from the first. Despite all that loving hands could do, and the best medical attendance, the little sufferer passed away at 2.30 this Thursday morning. He was aged, two years and three months.

The deepest sympathy of the best of friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Taylor in their sad bereavement.

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Mrs. M. O. Nelson will not receive on the second Wednesday in December.

Messrs. H. S. Craig and Joseph Treas are at Calgary this week on business.

H. W. Nesbitt, manager of the Merchants Bank, spent the week and with friends at the capital.

K. A. Guleksoo & Co. have moved their Real Estate Office to the Farmers' Co-operative Stores, Ltd.

The last day upon which discount on the payment of taxes will be allowed by the city is Saturday, December 14th.

The ladies of the Methodist Church will hold a rummage sale on the vacant lot south of Owen's store on Saturday, Dec. 7.

The many friends of Miss Alma Mattson, were pleased to see that she was able to resume her duties at the post-office on Friday last.

Mrs. (Dr.) Stevenson will hold her post natal reception, on the afternoon of the eleventh of December, from four until six. Mrs. Cobblehead and Mrs. Austin will receive with her.

Frank Horie, who has been Junior in the Merchants Bank here for some time, was transferred last week to Aeneo. His place is being filled here by Mr. Williamson.

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J. N. Davis, the pioneer bus buyer of this section returned to the city this week after spending the summer with friends at Minneapolis. He expects the far business will be brisk.

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The many friends of F. L. Cameron and family regret to learn that they have decided to leave the city and take up their residence at Long Beach, Cal., early in the new year. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gunn will accompany them and will likely return in the spring. Mr. Gunn is taking a well earned holiday, as he has been an employee of the C. P. R. for fourteen years, and this is the first break in all that time.

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Ratepayers' Annual Meeting

Reports of Committees Are Very Satisfactory.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers was held on Friday evening last, when Mayor Walker and all the Aldermen were present, to give an account of their stewardship for the current year. There was a large attendance, a number of ladies being present, and all showed the keenest interest in the affairs of the city.

This Worship, Mayor Walker, outlined the work that had been done during the past season, showing that everything was in a very satisfactory condition. He thought that Wetaskiwin was on the eve of a very rapid development, and that the incoming council would have to legislate on matters of the most vital importance to Wetaskiwin.

The reports of the committees are based on the work that they concluded up to October 31st.

Ald. Ellis, chairman of the finance committee, reviewed the work of the past year in his department. The amount expended by the finance committee was \$24,293.41, and he believed that there would be a small surplus on December 31st, next.

Ex Mayor Knox was then called upon and he congratulated the council for the work they had done during the past year. As the policy was adopted during his regime, he thought the credit for the good work done should be shared by himself.

Ald. Ott then reviewed the work done upon the part of the Water committee during the year. He had been criticised by ratepayers living in certain sections of the town, because more work had not been done in their respective communities. He pointed out that he did not represent any particular part of the city, but Wetaskiwin as a whole. No doubt the people who complained would have the work done next year that they wished the present council to complete. He had an opportunity of comparing other towns in the west with Wetaskiwin, and he was glad to say that Wetaskiwin was the cleanest kept and had the best appearance of any he had visited.

W. C. McLean criticised the action of the Public Works Committee for the policy they had pursued during the summer, but time did not permit of a detailed discussion.

Ald. Watson, the present chairman of the light and power committee, pointed out that the power plant was now running under the greatest disadvantage as the new machinery had not yet been installed. It was expected the new machinery would be installed early in January and then the plant would be in first class condition. Replying to a question, Ald. Watson stated that the plant, he thought, was not losing money, but running about even at the present time.

The report of the water works committee was then given by Ald. Bennett. For the past six months there had been a "rocky" water service and the stand pipe had been filled all the time and frequently ran

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TOWN TIPS

CHRISTMAS in less than three weeks.

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The young people of the New Sweden Church are holding a supper and sale in the church on Friday evening Dec. 11th, commencing at six o'clock. All cordially invited.

The ladies of the R. C. Church are holding one of their popular bazaar in Angus Hall on Thursday evening December 12th. Supper will be served at six o'clock. A good program of amusement is being arranged. All cordially invited.

Miss Elva Cameron, was successfully operated upon at Los Angeles, California for appendicitis a few days ago. According to last reports she is improving nicely.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cobblewick are in the city this week visiting at the home of their daughter Mrs. Dr. Stevenson. They recently returned from a trip to the continent.

G. H. Taylor has resumed his duties at the Express Office after a three week's vacation.

Owing to some changes being made at the power plant, the water was turned off for several hours on Sunday last.

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An exhibition wrestling match will be given in Angus Theatre on Monday night, December 11th, between C. H. Hall, feather weight champion of St. Louis, Mo., and Verna Lambert, one of the fastest boys in Canada. The preliminaries commence at 10 o'clock.

Geo. B. Campbell left on Tuesday night's train for Ottawa on political business, and will be absent a couple of weeks.

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The marriage took place Saturday, November 30th, at the home of the bride's parents, St. Paul Des Metis, Alberta, of Edward Gardiner Gilroy, overseer and accountant of The Northern Transportation Co., and Miss Marie Thibadeau, teacher in Athabasca Landing public school. The service was performed by Rev. Father Thierion, parish priest of St. Paul, in the presence of a few intimate friends. Miss Kathleen Campbell, of Buckingham, Que., was the bridesmaid, and Urban Thibadeau, brother of the bride, was groomsmen. The groom's present to the bride was a large quantity of pearls and sapphires, to the bridesmaid a pearl sunburst, and to the groom gold cuff links.

After partaking of dejeuner, the

Agricultural Society

Must Be Given More Attention

The annual meeting of the Wetaskiwin Agricultural Society, which was called for Wednesday afternoon of this week, was not as largely attended as it should have been. In fact the attendance was so small that it was decided to postpone the meeting until Saturday of next week, December 14th, when it is urgently requested that there be a large representative gathering.

In addition to the election of officers other business of the greatest importance must be considered. Unless the meeting of Saturday of next week is largely attended it is possible that the Fair Association will be obliged to disband for the want of sympathy and support, and if this action is once taken it will be practically impossible to reorganize, as it is the policy of the Government to reduce the number of exhibitions held in the rural communities.

It is, therefore, imperative that the citizens of Wetaskiwin and community awaken to the importance of having an exhibition here, and that they all rally to the assistance of the Wetaskiwin Agricultural Society at this time.

Let there be a representative meeting next Saturday.

Prize Birds

Nels Linden has again demonstrated that he has the best poultry to be found in Western Canada, as at the annual poultry show held in Calgary last week, he closed up practically everything in his line. Although he competed against exhibitors advertising themselves as champions of the west, he secured more prizes than all his competitors combined, in the classes in which he competed. Mr. Linden bred and raised all the birds shown. His winners were as follows—2nd for cock, 1st and 2nd for hen, 1st and 2nd for cockerel, and 1st and 2nd for pullet, in the Single Comb Brown Leghorn class. He won a silver cup for the best display in Mediterranean and as a special he got a set of carvers for his best cockerel and pullet in the show, say variety.

Pat Turner succeeded in taking 2nd and 2nd for hen, and 2nd and 3rd for cock; Buff Cochon Bantam, 2nd pullet; 2nd pullet, in the Plymouth. In white Cochon he won 2nd, hen, 2nd cock, and 2nd hen 3rd hen, in the White Wyandotte.

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Mr. W. J. Halliday, of Ash Grove, Ont., says: "I had my little finger frozen, and it cracked at the first joint, causing a bad sore which discharged freely and would not heal. The pain was very bad, and the whole of my hand became swollen and in bad shape.

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Their host of friends join in extending their heartiest congratulations.

MARRIED

Clements--Osterloh--At the Methodist parsonage on Dec. 4th, by Rev. A. R. Aldridge, B. A., Arthur Stephen Clements to Miss Frieda Helen Osterloh, both of Pleasanton, Alta.

Hoff--Lloyd--At the house, on the 30th ult., by Rev. C. E. A. Porcock, Christopher B. Hoff to Miss Ada Flora Lloyd. They will reside in Strathcona.

Curling Schedule

The curling season opened on Thursday of this week, as the ice is in readiness for this popular winter pastime. As there are twenty rinks in the club, it has been deemed advisable to have a double draw on Wednesday and Thursday evenings. Games on these nights will commence at 7.30 and 9 o'clock. No draws are made for Saturday night. Only practice games are being played this week, but the schedule games commence on Monday. The following are the draws for the next few nights:

Thursday, Dec. 5

7.30 Welles vs Staples
Angus vs Smeo
Kelley vs Outway
9.00 McKitterick vs Herie

Friday, Dec. 6

7.30 Nesbitt vs Ellis
Fowler vs Wallace
McMurdoo vs Robertson
9.00 Herie vs Dickson
Manley vs Emmen
Carruthers vs Wilkins

Monday, Dec. 9

Robertson vs Herie
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Ellis vs French	7.30 Herie vs French
Tuesday, Dec. 10	Outway vs Nesbitt
	Manley vs Fowler
	9.30 Angus vs Dickson
	McMurdoo vs Wilkins
	Staples vs Carruthers
Wednesday, Dec. 11	Friday, Dec. 13
7.30 Fowler vs McKitterick	Emmen vs Welles
Dickson vs Emmen	Robertson vs French
Wilkins vs Wallace	McKitterick vs Wallace
9.30 Carruthers vs Welles	
Robertson vs Ellis	
Smeo vs Kelley	
Thursday, Dec. 12	

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TRADING SUITS.

Checkers Has an Interesting Experience.

TALE OF LOVE AND LOCKSMITH

He Meets a Suspicious Character, Who Gives Him \$5 and a New Suit For an Old One, but the Wise Hobo Makes Another Exchange.

By M. QUAD.

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I HAD just come back to the tracks after getting a bite to eat at a farmhouse and was passing a heavy thicket, fringing the road, when a man rose up and beckoned me and called:

"Say, hobo, I want to speak to you a minute."

I am always ready to be spoken to and always looking to enlarge my extensive circle of acquaintances. I made my way into the thicket to come upon a pretty tough looking man who had one arm in a homemade sling and several fresh cuts on his face. I didn't take him for a minister of the gospel who had been out to a moving picture show the night before and lost his way and fallen into a cleft.

"Hobo, have you a heart?" asked the man as I stood staring him up.

"I have, but it's worked over under the right arm," I says.

"Good! I'm glad you are a joker, because you'll see the point of what



"HE SUGGESTED THAT WE CHANGE CLOTHES."

I'm about to tell you. You have been in here, I take it?"

"A hundred times."

"Good again! You've felt that you must marry the object of your love or die?"

"You bet!"

"I thought you looked like that kind of a man. It is plain that there is a bond between us, and I'm going to trust you. Have a smoke, hobo?"

A Drummer's Romance.

He brought out a couple of cigars, and when we had got to pulling he says:

"I am a drummer for a large grocery house. The town three miles below is on my route. One day three months ago I was there when a farmer and his daughter drove in. One look at the girl and I lost my heart."

"Your heart, eh?"

"Hobo, did you ever see an angel walking around on earth?"

"Not in the state of Illinois. The Chicago gruffers would have her in a cage within ten minutes and charge \$1 admission to behold her."

"It was love at first sight on my part and love at first sight on hers. We knew that we were for each other."

"But did her old dad know to the contrary?"

"He did, hobo; he did. When he saw that cupid had shot his arrow he told me that if he ever caught me within a mile of his house he would break my neck. That was a year ago."

"And you have never been there?" I asked.

Fond Hearts Parted.

"Not until last night," he answered, with a sigh. "We wrote to each other. We were to elope. Yes, everything was planned without the old villain getting the slightest hint. Last night I drove out to the farm after dark and hid in a fence corner till the clock struck midnight."

"And then you gave a low whistle?"

"Correct."

"And she carefully raised the sash of her window?"

"She did."

"And you up with a fifteen foot ladder you had paid a carpenter \$3 to make for the occasion?"

"That's it, hobo."

"And that ladder was painted blue, as a token that your love for her would never grow cold?"

"It was."

"Wait!" I asked.

"Before she could descend the old man put a charge of bird shot into my arm, and you can see that a few struck my face. Then his bulldog got after me, and there was nothing left but flight. I am here in hiding, and he is looking for me to shoot me down in cold blood."

"And you want my help and shall have it. I may be in just the same fix as soon as I meet an angel. I'll get some water from the ditch to wash away the blood."

First Aid to the Injured.

I brought some in my hat and soon had him looking more sentimental. The shot had not penetrated very deep

in face or arm, and I got most of them out with a knife blade. It was while I was fussing with him that he observed he had a gun and a knife and a burglar's jewelry on his person. Of course I hadn't taken any stock in his story, and now I got the dip that he had been about while doing a job in the town.

Did I look wise? Did I seem skeptical? Was there anything critical in my bearing?

You go to! A hobo is a tenderfoot for a year or two and then gets next. That's what I intended to make his act away all right, and it was not for me to interfere. When he had been overhauled and breezed up he suggested that we change clothes. Not the slightest objection on my part. Then he asked for my name and a brief biography and after handing me a five dollar bill was ready to go on.

"Checkers," says he as pleasant as a big sundowner after a thunder shower, "you don't want my angel's father to overtake and shoot me down, do you?"

"Far from it," I says.

"Then you'll keep quiet about this?"

"Sure, hobo."

"They may arrest you, but they can't make a case."

"Oh, that's all right! Even if they make out a case I'm going to go to jail. Just hike along and be happy, and don't let go of that angel till she's yours."

He smiled and took the tracks, and I sat down to wait. For what? You don't think I was green enough to do a good business suit and be spotted before I had gone half a mile, do you?

A hobo fare and hair and slouch hat don't go with a twenty dollar suit of clothes.

Professional Pride Stirred.

In about half an hour a tramp came along the tracks. He had no business there. It's a tramp for the highway and a hobo for the city. My gorge rose at the fellow's check, and as he came along I seized and dragged him into the thicket and never stopped culling him for fifteen minutes. When I had reduced him to a humble state of mind I says:

"Stand up and strip off your duds!"

"What for?" he says.

"Because I want 'em for myself."

"But what'll I do?"

"Take the other suit."

He turned 'em over, and his eyes sparkled with delight. He was going to get a fine suit for \$2 worth of rags. He didn't lose no time making the exchange, and as he stood with the better suit on a puzzled look came to his face, and he asked:

"Hobo, why are you so good to me?"

"It's to punish myself. I find that I'm getting too proud and stuck up for a hobo, and so I am going to begin at the bottom again. You keep him about it, however. If you don't—"

"He sure I will!"

He tramped on toward the town, and after taking a hound's snuff, I followed on. They had him under arrest for attempted burglary the night before, and the watchman of a store was waving over and over again that the knee caps of those birds must have struck. He was right, but it was not for me to expiate. I had got a good thing and passed it on to the next. I just leaned up against a lamp post and says I to myself, says I:

"Checkers, the man who lets well enough alone is the man who piles up more weller."

She Turns the Other Cheek.

Many a woman's affection is increased by receiving a check—Judge.

What Wellington Was Afraid Of.

Sir William Allan covered a large canvas with a picture of the battle of Waterloo, which the Duke of Wellington bought. He gave orders that I had to call at the Horse Guards on a certain day to receive payment. The duke's son, Sir William, came, and the duke began to count out notes for the sum agreed upon. Knowing how valuable was his time, Allan said that he would be quite content to take the duke's check.

His grace went on counting, and the artist, thinking he had not been heard, remarked:

"It would save your grace time and trouble if you would give me a check on your bankers."

After musing at being interrupted in his counting or else facetiously, with a touch of the truth that is sometimes spoken in jest, the duke answered:

"Do you think I would allow Countess this bankers to know what a fool I have been?"—London Times.

Dried Cost Him \$5.

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and strength of will. They are always the people who represent The Salvation Army. How important it is, therefore, that every opportunity should be given for preparation and suitable study before they commence their life's work.

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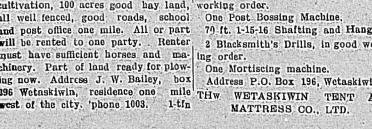
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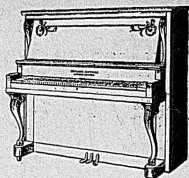
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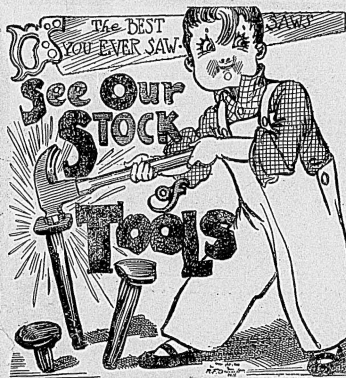
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By M. QUAD.
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WHEN dinner had been finished Mr. Bowser did not sit down to his cigar and newspaper, as usual. He walked about as if he had something on his mind, and Mrs. Bowser finally noticed it and queried:

"Has something happened to bother you?"

"Oh, no. I was just thinking of taking an evening walk."

"I will go with you."

"But you see I don't want you to."

"And why not?"

"I am going to make a little experiment, or you may call it testing a theory, and I can do better alone. I am calm, isn't it?"

"You seem to be."

"And perfectly placid?"

"Yes."

"And you would say I was at peace with all the world?"

"Yes, but the minute I tell you that the gas bill is half a dollar more than last month you may break out."

"Well, you have told me, and have I broken?"

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Biliousness

is certainly one of the most disagreeable ailments which flesh is heir to. Coated tongue—bitter taste in the mouth—nausea—distress—these combine to make life a burden. The cause is a disordered liver—the cure Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills. They go straight to the root of the trouble, put the liver right, cleanse the stomach and bowels, clear the tongue and take away the bitter taste from the mouth. At the first sign of biliousness take

Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills

take some family's cook to a vaudeville show. He was also happy and might even propose matrimony before the performance was over. There is no use in trying to make a happy person any happier.

Then there came a man at a hurried gait and muttering to himself. He wasn't a bit happy. Mr. Bowser saw that he wasn't and threw his hat over at him when he was yet thirty feet away. It didn't check him for a moment. He came on, and he was opposite he growled:

"Cuss the luck! Can't I ever have a minute's peace?"

"Halt!" was the command. "My friend, you are not a happy man, but I can make you so."

"Who to believe are you?"

"Never mind about that. I will that your troubles leave you and that you become placid and happy. Keep quiet a moment."

"Say, you're drunk!" shouted the man, and, catching Mr. Bowser by the coat collar, he whirled him around and slammed him up against a fence and passed on. The theory had missed here, but only for a moment was Mr. Bowser discouraged. Presumably his will power had been so suddenly called upon to work that it had wobbled a little. He walked on down to the next corner. There was a bakery there, and a poor old woman stood looking at the bread in the windows in a longing way.

A Promising Chance.

"Egad, but she shall have a loaf!" murmured Mr. Bowser to himself, and he walked that she should enter the place.

She seemed to feel his power, and after looking around and muttering to herself she entered.

"It's a success with her, and now for the bakery!"

The baker stood behind his counter reading a paper. He looked up and waved his hand at the old woman who signified that she wanted to like right out of that without delay.

Bowser walked him to be placid and successful.

He waved his hand again and evidently swore.

Bowser put on more steam.

The baker came from behind the counter and took the old woman by the shoulders and pushed her to the door and out with the warning:

"Now, you old fraud, if you show up here again I'll call the police."

"Be calm, woman, be calm!" continued Mr. Bowser as she began to scream and resist.

"Who tells me to be calm?" she demanded. "Oh, it's you, is it? What have you got to do with this?"

"Woman, I will you to be calm."

"And I will you to mind your own business!" she shouted as she knocked his hat from his head.

"What have you got to say about this?" put in the baker as he bristled up.

Mr. Bowser walked him to retire inside. He didn't do it.

"Do you take her part?"

"Placid, sir. Be placid and merciful."

"You be hanged! Say, now, I don't like your looks! I believe you are the old gunk that came here and worked a bogus lot of dollars off on me when I was busy the other night!"

A Condition Meets a Theory.

"You are an infernal liar!" retorted Mr. Bowser, suddenly forgetting all about his will power.

"Oh, I am, am I?"

And he shot out his left and landed on the baker's right eye and sent him to grass and then told him that if he didn't make a bee line for home he'd leave him for life.

"What's the matter?" asked Mrs. Bowser as the victim came in holding a hand to his eye.

"Automobile!" he hoarsely whispered. "It hit his eye!"

"It did?"

"But why didn't you will the chauffeur to run into the river instead?"

Mr. Bowser gazed a long, frozen glare at her from his good eye and then turned away and went upstairs without a word.

He wanted to be alone with the witch hazel and his thoughts.

True Happiness.

While it is a doubtful happiness to be rich, it is a positive happiness to think what you would do if you only were rich.

—St. Louis Post-Dispatch

His Fatal Defect.

The glib tongue agent was trying to persuade Mr. Wilepudnik to buy a dictionary.

"It's the best thing out," he said. "It's the most thing in every particular, contains more words than any other, has all the technical and scientific terms that have come into use in the last ten years, and there isn't a feature missing that goes to make a first class work of the kind."

"Let me look at it a minute," said Mr. Wilepudnik.

The agent handed it over, and he inspected it briefly. Then he handed it back.

"Young man," he said, "you can't work that book out on me."

"What's the matter with it?"

"It isn't the book I want. It's the Chicago Tribune."

A Matter of Pride.

"No," said Mr. Merton. "I don't want Heurletta to go into politics."

"You are envious of her superior energy."

"No, I'm not. But Heurletta is sure to rise to official position. And when I hand her my salary on Saturday night I don't want to be her superior."

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3 WEEKS

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WETASKIWIN ALBERTA

Candidates in Nomination Mayor Walker Re-Elected By Acclamation

Contest for Aldermen and Separate School Trustees.

The nominations passed very quietly at the City Hall on Monday last. Notwithstanding the rumor that there would be a contest for the mayor's chair, no opposition to Dr. H. C. R. Walker's re-election was given and he was therefore declared elected by acclamation. There will, however, be an election for aldermen as there are five nominations to fill the three vacancies. Those placed in nomination are:—Ald. Gross, G. L. Gothard, J. P. Johnson, A. H. Liversidge, and Geo. D. Wallace.

There will not be an election for Public School Trustees, as the three candidates retired from this year's board were all re-elected by acclamation. They are Messrs. F. E. Kelley, J. P. Ellis, and Dr. Hoare. The other members of the School Board are Messrs. Fowler and R. W. Manley.

The voting will take place at the City Hall between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Monday next, with Mr. Roberts as returning officer.

The names on the nomination papers of Dr. Walker were: J. P. Fowler, G. L. Owen, D. McEldern, O. H. Ronie, L. Buce, A. S. Rosenroll, J. P. Gross, O. H. Anderson, H. J. Montgomery, C. C. Bailey, G. E. Compton, J. P. Fowler.

The names on the nomination papers of Geo. D. Wallace were: H. L. Higgs, W. F. Rock, L. O. Felland, H. J. Montgomery, C. C. Bailey, F. W. Gross, G. D. Egan, C. E. Compton, J. P. Fowler.

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In every package of Macheila, Nature's Scalp Tonic, which has a record for growing hair—35 cases out of 100—there is a packet of Macheila Dry Shampoo Powder. Price of complete home treatment \$0.00. Sold and guaranteed by H. L. Higgs, druggist.

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Having purchased the business of H. M. Burke, I cordially solicit the patronage of all old customers; and, by fair treatment to all, I hope to merit the patronage of many new ones.

We make the best of everything in the Bakery line.

Come in and make our acquaintance.

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It was moved by G. L. Owen and seconded by K. A. Gullekson that G. L. Gothard be placed on nomination. The names on Ald. Gross's nomination papers were: Chas. D. Egan, P. O. Weller, J. F. Ellis, F. E. Kelley, A. H. Liversidge.

The names on A. H. Liversidge's nomination papers were: A. S. Rosenroll, A. G. Gross, J. P. Johnson, Harriet West, J. F. VanWetten, T. O. Felland, J. P. Ellis, J. P. Griffiths, Jos. Cowan, Sr. H. R. Asp, L. A. D. Ferris, P. Weller, F. Campbell, F. E. Kelley, J. E. Henderson, J. H. Walker.

Town Topics

Vote for Gothard.
Vote for the Library By-Law.

The annual At Home and dance under the auspices of the A. F. and A. M. will be held on December 17th. Have you seen Bailey's window with "Patricia" and her troupe of Parisian dresses. She is to be raffled on December 6th, at Harris' Ice Cream Parlors, tickets only 25c., on sale at Bailey's.

Vote for Gothard.

The Parish Auxiliary of Immanuel church will hold a Bazaar in Harris' ice cream parlor on Saturday, Dec 7th commencing at 3 p. m. Afternoon tea will be served.

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THE WETASKIWIN MARKETS

NOVEMBER 28th	
Wheat No. 1 Northern	58
Wheat No. 2 Northern	57
Wheat No. 3 Northern	51
Wheat No. 4 Northern	57
Oats	21
Barley	19-20
Butter	32-33
Eggs	38
Flour, Bakers	2 50
Flour, X X X	1 75
Flour, Hungarian Patent	3 00
Chopped Wheat, Cwt.	1 00
Shorts Cwt.	1 00
Brn. Cwt.	1 00
Peanut oils	25
Steers	41 to 55
Steers dressed	8 00 9 00
Cows dressed	7 00 8 00
Hogs	7-75
Sheep	6
Hay	5-8
Yell. live	1-5
Chickens, dressed	11 to 1
Fowl	8 to 10
Turkeys, live	18 to 20
Turkeys, (dressed)	22 00 22
Geese dressed	14
Ducks, dressed	15
Hay, baled	9 00

CARD OF THANKS.

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EXTRA SPECIAL in Men's Tweed Suits made up in good smart styles in browns, greys and fancy mixtures at the most unusual offer. Prices range \$9, \$10, \$12, \$12.50, \$15, \$17.

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JANITORS IN VIENNA.

These Autocrats are Paul Pry, Tax Collectors and Collectors.

The Vienna who does not wish to be out of pocket must keep early hours. After ten o'clock at night he is taxed on entering his own house or apartment. The "sperrgeld" or door opening tax is not peculiar to Vienna, but is also found in other capitals of Europe.

The 2,000,000 residents of the Austrian capital are practically imprisoned in their own homes from ten o'clock in the evening until six the next morning. They may get out only by paying the equivalent of four cents to the janitor or, as the Austrians call him, the house master.

Now Vienna is built on the flat or apartment house plan. Rich men and working people alike live in quarters of this kind. The houses are large, having five or six floors, usually with four flats on a floor, so that not infrequently there will be upward of 100 persons living under one roof. There is a common entrance from the street, and after ten o'clock at night this door is bolted and barred.

This tax must be met every time one passes through the doorway. There is no exception to this rule. A man who has done with a friend must, if he stays late, pay four cents to get out of his friend's house and four cents more to get into his own. A telegram the night calls for the payment of the tax before the messenger can enter.

It is the function of the house master to keep duplicate copies of forms, on which every individual in the house must report the police his age, birthplace and religion, his exact occupation and other personal details that the Austrian authorities require to know. Nor does the janitor end here. From the little booklet that he occupies at the foot of the stairs he sees every one that goes in or out. He ascertains with astonishing accuracy the events of each tenant's life, the character of his visitors.

In some apartment houses the house master is more powerful than in others. There is a case on record in which an Anglo-Saxon resident was obliged to move from an apartment that he particularly liked for the simple reason that he could not venture to speak with any degree of sharpness to the man at his door, even when acting as janitor in his duties.

The flat was owned by a railway belonging to the state. This made the house master a state official, to insult whom is a very serious offence in Austria. A reprimand for delaying letters would be considered an insult, and the foreigner deemed it best to move to other quarters.

Thackeray's Thanks.

Thackeray's playful habit of wrapping rhyme up in prose is happily illustrated in the letter below, which was written to his friend Dean Hole: "Did I ever write and comply with your desire to have a page of out of the leg—wouldn't that be ugly and uncomfortable? Probably you buy the kind with a seam up the back only because you don't know there was a kind free from discomfort and unsightliness. There is, however, you can get the better kind in any weight or color if you buy hosiery made by

A young man who had never testified before was called before the court as a witness in a certain case. He was somewhat flustered over the attention that was being paid him and mumbled his words so that the young woman stenographer could not hear them distinctly. He was told to speak plainly and to turn toward the stenographer.

"Speak to the stenographer," said the prosecutor.

At that the young man arose and with a deep bow to the lady said, "How do you do?"

Method In His Madness.

An Englishman traveling in Germany kept constantly putting his head out of the window of the railway carriage until at length a stout of wind blew away his hat. He immediately took down his hatbox and buried it out of the window. His German fellow-travelers roared with laughter.

"You don't expect your hatbox to bring your hat back, do you?" one of them asked.

"I do," said the Englishman. "No matter on the hat—fall money and address on the box. They'll be found together, and I shall get both."

The Most Accurate Frontier.

As an instance of the jealousy existing in the relations between Norway and Sweden it may be noted that the boundary line between the two countries is the most minutely exact in Europe. In every party touched by the line there is deposited an elaborate plan which is renewed every ten years, the whole of the work of surveying, etc., being carefully repeated each time.

Frail Human Nature.

The judge was in a rage. "I hear," he thundered, "that bets have been made on the result of this case. I won't have such a state of things. All gambling must be stopped within the jurisdiction of this court."

"But you a few cents' bet done?" said the counsel for the defence.

"Put up your money," said the judge, reaching for his purse.

One Family of 20,000,000.

The rapidly with which rats multiply is the main reason why man appears to make so little headway in their destruction. It is calculated that a single pair of rats and their progeny, breeding without interruption and suffering no losses, would in three years increase to more than 20,000,000.

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The Churches

IMMANUEL
Holy Communion, Sunday next, 8 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion 11 a.m. Benediction, 7:30 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class 3:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Service on Wednesday 8 p.m. U. S. of Edmononton.

METHODIST
Next Sunday Rev. Prof. Chas. Bland of Wesleyan College, Montreal, and now of Edmononton, will preach both morning and evening. Special singing at the evening service when the choir will be assisted by Dr. Comp of Edmononton.

The Wednesday evening service this week was well attended, and Rev. Mr. Steinhilber's address and songs were quite full of interest. Next Wednesday Rev. C. E. Pocock, B. A., will speak on "East, West, home's best."

The pastor of the church preaches next Sunday at the Anniversary Service of the church at Olds.

PRESBYTERIAN.
Sunday services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday School at 2:30. Midweek services at Wetaskiwin, Lake Street on Wednesday at 8 p.m. The regular meeting of the W. H. M. S. in the church on Monday at 4 p.m.

Knox Literary Society meets on Tuesday, Dec. 18, at 8 p.m. There will be a debate on the subject, "Resolved—That Canada should assist in the naval defence of the Empire by each contributing to the Imperial authorities, rather than by establishing a Canadian navy." Mr. Loggie is the leader for the affirmative and Mr. Collart for the negative.

The Sunday School is busy preparing for their Xmas entertainment, which will be held on Thursday, Dec. 19th.

CROOKED LAKE.

The Baptist Sewing Society of Crooked Lake will hold their annual auction sale at the Crooked Lake school house on Dec. 12th, commencing at 7:30 p.m. They have a lot of fancy goods among which is a fancy quilt with about 250 names embroidered in name. All are names of persons in Wetaskiwin and district. Refreshments will be served free after the sale.

Mr. Maynard has been engaged as auctioneer. This is one of the biggest sales of this society and everybody is cordially invited.

UNRESERVED Auction Sale

Of Stock, Household Goods and Machinery.

One mile east and 4 miles north of Wetaskiwin, on

Wednesday, December 18th
at 10:30 sharp

HORSES—Bay mare, age 4, wt. 1000; 7-8 Featherston, gray mare age 7, wt. 1200; bay mare, age 12, wt. 1200; bay gelding, age 8, wt. 1400; black gelding, age 5, wt. 1400; black gelding, age 3, wt. 1300; bay mare colt 1 year old; 2 spring horse colts.

CATTLE—Cow, 6 years, will be fresh last of January; cow 7 years old giving milk; cow 3 years old giving milk; 7 head of calves.

CHICKENS—About 50 chickens. Pure bred Plymouth Rock.

IMPLEMENTS—Mitchell wagon with 3 boxes. John Deere valley mow. John Deere top buggy, 8 foot Acme binder, Deering mower, 5 foot cut, new, Deering rake, 10 foot; John Deere hay sweeper, Corn field machine, spreader, new, four section John Deere drag, griddlestone, John Deere soil breaker, Avery two horse cultivator, Chassey gang, 15 foot, 15 gallon disc drill, hay rake, new double driving harness, 2 sets of work harness.

HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS—V. S. cream separator, hard coal heater, Garland base burner, wood heater, new, cool stove, 1 foot extension table; 2 kitchen tables, 3 dining chairs, 3 rocking chairs, cabinet sewing machine with all attachments, lounge, 2 dressers, 3 iron bed springs, center stand, Waterloo refrigerator, Cypress Indolator, 110 eggs; 15 barrel galvanized tank, pans, kettles, dishes and flat irons; 15 gallon barrel churn, washing machine and wringer tub, 25 dozen fruit cans and jars, 3 milk cans, photograph and records, Winchester repeating shot gun. Other articles too numerous to mention.

FRESH LUNCH AT NOON.

TERMS—All sums of \$20.00 and under cash; over that amount twelve months credit will be given on furnishing secured bankable notes bearing interest at 8 per cent per annum. 5 per cent discount for all cash on credit account. No goods to be removed until settled for.

No reserve as Mr. Carr has rented his farm and is going to California. Sale starts at 10:30. Everybody come early.

GEO. L. OWEN, Auctioneer.
E. A. CAIR, Owner.

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In regard to skin diseases, medical authorities are now agreed on this: Don't impregnate the disease germs in your skin by the use of greasy salves, and thus encourage them to multiply. A true cure of all eczema, various disease can be brought about only by using the healing agents in the form of a liquid.

WASH THE GERMS OUT.

A simple wash: A compound of Oil of Wintergreen, Thymol, and other ingredients as combined in the D. D. D. Prescription. This penetrates to the disease germs and destroys them, as nothing else has ever done.

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Trinal bottle will start the cure, and give you, instant relief.

RED CROSS DRUG STORE, WETASKIWIN.

ADMINISTRATOR'S Auction Sale

OF STOCK, HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND MACHINERY.

The undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, north of Big Lake trail, and 3 miles west of Wetaskiwin, 1 mile THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, Commencing at Eleven o'clock sharp.

HORSES.
6 good cobs, all in calf; two two-year old grade bulls; 5 spring calves; 1 2-year old heifer.

CATTLE.
14 inch stubble plow, 16 inch stubble plow, McCormick binder, McCormick disc, McCormick mower, hay rake, chum, Adams wagon, buggy, 3 set harrows, set double harness, 3 set harrows, cook stove, dining table and chairs, also axes, hoes, shovels, forks, and a lot of small articles.

PIGS.
10 spring pigs.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.

These articles were formerly the property of William H. H. (deceased) and everything must be sold.

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JULIUS. SAGERT, Administrator.
GEO. L. OWEN, Auctioneer.

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We're agents for the Imperial Oil Company too. And our samples of oil are always on view; Every order received is delivered to date. And the prices we quote you will find to be straight.

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Our heavy and feed barn is carried on right. And we are open for business every day and night. Come in without knocking, go out the same way. Has been our motto before, and is to-day.

Come in Mr. Farmer, let your teams have the care. And the best of feed on our bill of fare; For the attention and comfort is the best to be had. And our reasonable tariff will make your hearts glad.

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Call and allow us to demonstrate the superiority of the new **Hornless Columbia Gramophones**, and Columbia Records.

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John Deere Buggies, New Deal Wagons, Manitoba Gas Engines, Manitoba Wind Mills, Milotte Cream Separators, Etc., Etc.

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Price, \$2.00.

Celery, per pound, 15c
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Cabbage, per dozen, \$1.25
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MONDAY, DECEMBER 10

Commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, rain, snow or shine:—

HORSES.

Bay gelding, 3 yrs. old, weight 1250; pony mare, in foal 9 years old, weight 900; 2 colts, coming 1 year old.

CATTLE.

3 good milch cows, to be fresh in the spring; 1 cow, with calf by her side; 1 yearling steer, 1 yearling bull; 2 calves.

HOGS.

3 brood sows, Polish China boar, 4 shoats, 7 pigs.

MISCELLANEOUS.

23 head of sheep, 11 geese, 25 chickens.

HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.

3 heating stoves, 2 bedssteads, 1 first-class organ, chairs, table and dishes and other articles too numerous to mention.

IMPLEMENTS.

Massey-Harris binder, 8 foot cut, good as new; Champion mower, 5 foot cut; deering hay rake; Hucier Press, shoe drill, 3 section lever harrow, 3 gang plows, 2 18 inch combination stable and breaking plows, 1 18 inch Morytor brush breaker, 1 disc, road cart, truck wagon, 6 inch tire truck wagon, 3 inch 1, fanning mill, 2,000 lb. platform scales new; 1 spring wag on, 14th feeding machine, brush cutter, pair bob sleighs, 2 hay racks, hay fork, set olowrk harness, set of driving harness.

25 horse power steam engine, Case, 1 Case separator 40x60, self feeder and blower, 1 barrel steel tank, sleeping car, engine plow (under with 4 18 inch Wisconsin brush breakers, saw mill and shingle mill, 14th saw and planer, 10 inch feed mill, 1 pair 36 inch French millax stones with 60 feet of elevator with bolters.

On these articles terms will be 3 years on installment payments. They are all in first-class order.

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T. S. GRUE,
O. MAYGARD,
K. AUCTIONEER,
J. B. ERICKSON,
Clerk.

Sunday School Lesson

A LAD POSSESSED.

Dec. 1st. Mark 9:14-29.

The lesson presents an interesting picture which should have a place in every home where parents are found. In the background is one of the foothills of Mount Hermon—the Mount of Transfiguration.

A middle aged man with lines of care on every feature of his face bending, over a poor young lad on the ground in "fit forms the centre of a large course of people." Among them may be seen St. Andrew, St. Philip, St. Bartholomew, St. James the Less, St. Thaddeus, St. Simon, St. (?) Judas, confronting a number of unbelievably

The father had prayed to the saints for his son who was beyond his control, who, in fact, had

COME ALL TO THE DEVIL, or as Mark says, was possessed, or as Mark says, was "possessed."

The lad was a wreck in body and soul—epileptic, insane, unclean, deaf and dumb.

To the saints had been committed power over evil spirits but here they stood helpless and humiliated before the learned theologians of Jerusalem whose sarcasm added to their embarrassment.

It was not the first time nor the last that a devil-possessed person proved too tough a proposition for the saints.

What was the trouble? They were not long left in suspense for the Master appears suddenly with Peter, James, and John and asks, "What is the matter?"

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE ESTATE OF FRANK S. BRADGON late of the City of Wetaskiwin in the Province of Alberta, Gentleman Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Frank S. Bradgon who died on the 15th day of October, 1912, are requested to send to Frank S. Bradgon, Junior, Administrator at Brankston, Minnesota, U.S.A., on or before the 22nd day of December, A.D. 1912, a full statement of their claims and of any security held by them duly verified and that after that date the said Frank S. Bradgon, Junior, will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with the said Frank S. Bradgon, Junior, the Administrator of the said Estate or with the undersigned Solicitor for the said Administrator.
DATED at Wetaskiwin this 4th day of November, A.D. 1912.
LOGGIE & MANLEY, Wetaskiwin, Alta.
Solicitor for the said Administrator.
Approved: W. A. D. L.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE ESTATE OF JOHN TAPIO, late of the settlement of Brighton, Farmer Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late John Tapio, who died on the twenty-second day of November, A.D. 1912, are requested to send to THE TRUSTS AND GUARANTEE COMPANY, LIMITED, or on or before the 22nd day of December, 1912, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them, duly verified, and that after that date the said Company will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed with the said The Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, the Administrator of the said estate.
DATED at Wetaskiwin this twenty-second day of November, A.D. 1912.
THE TRUSTS AND GUARANTEE COMPANY, LIMITED
A. G. ROSS, Manager.
LOGGIE & MANLEY,
Solicitors for the said Company.
Approved: W. A. D. L.

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NOTICE—Impounded in the City Pound on the 3rd inst. One roan horse branded 83 side neck; one black mare branded M on left hip; one bay horse no brand; one dark grey horse no brand; one roan mare and colt branded PO on right shoulder; one black horse branded 11 on left hip; one white mare branded 11 on left hip. JOE COWAN, Pound Keeper

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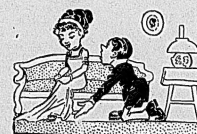
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